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Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing a continuation-in-part X continuation divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b), of pending prior application, Serial No. 10/168,491 filed on October 21, 2002 of **BRUNO VITT, JUERGEN BLANKENBURG, WERNER J. BEHR, KARL-HEINZ DASECKE, and BIRGIT LINTNER** for **UV-REFLECTIVE INTERFERENCE LAYER SYSTEM**.

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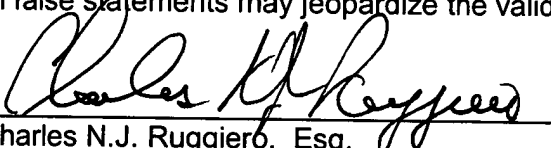
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1. XX A check in the amount of \$ 910.00 is enclosed.
2. XX The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 01-0467**. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.
3. Cancel in this application original claim(s) of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
4. XX A copy of the executed oath or declaration from U.S. Application Serial No. 10/168,491 filed October 21, 2002 is enclosed.
5. A new oath or declaration, new formal drawings and an affidavit or declaration verifying it as a true copy is enclosed.
6. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: ---This is a continuation, division, of application serial no. , filed .

7. XX The prior application is assigned of record to: Schott Spezialglas GmbH
8. XX The power of attorney in the prior application is to:
- a. The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
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9. XX A preliminary amendment is enclosed. (Claims added by this amendment have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered original claim in the prior application.)
10. XX An Information Disclosure Statement with Form - PTO-1449 is enclosed;
11. XX The present application is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/168,491 filed on October 21, 2002, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/514,437 filed on February 28, 2000, now abandoned, and International Patent Application PCT/EP00/12878 filed on December 15, 2000. The present application is also claiming priority to German Patent Application No. DE 199 62 144.6 filed December 22, 1999, and is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119, §120, and §365;
12. XX I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of prior application serial no. 10/168,491 as originally filed on October 21, 2002.

The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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